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New and Complete stock in all the very latest stwles.
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Dozens, Half Dozens, Single pieces.
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Largest Stock in the City
NO. 5 ERIE STREET.

In looking through our invoices we find our purchases already this spring amounts to
16,900 Yards
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Do not think of buying your spring carpetings until you have gone through the
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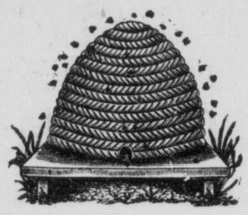

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Both Plans.
Weekly $3.00. Transients, 50c up.
Restaurant by Compagnon, late Chi. Club Chef.
Popular Prices. New House.
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JAN KEE
Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minich block and No. 1 East Tremont street. has started a first-class
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Where he will be prepared to show to the public the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.
New Shirts, 18c, 2 for 25c Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c Ladies Collars. 2 for 5c. Cuffs. 4c.

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"I'm going to Whitman's, kind sir, to trade"
"Why do you go there, my pretty waid?"
"His stock is the very largest in the city, sir," she said
"But how are his prices, my pretty maid?"
"They're lower than any one else has made?"
"Can I go with you my pretty maid,"
"Pleased with your company sir," she said,
So then these two the lad and maid,
Went hurrying off to trade:
And when the lad went home he said,
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You can do the saue by trading at
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CARRIAGES
Finest Selection Ever Shown in the City at
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Undertaking Rooms
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Select Your Spring Suit
FROM A STOCK OF
——NEW WOOLENS——
And you will be sure to get the proper thing. I am showing a very nice line of fancy silk vestings. Prices the lowest.
LOWE, The Tailor,
Over 27 & 29 South Erie Opera Block.

Austin & McIsaac
Have opened a magnificent line of
BOOTS & SHOES,
No. 15 East Main St.
STOCK ALL NEW. PRICES REASONABLE
Your Patronage Solicited.
Everybody is invited to visit the new store, and examine the handsome line of goods.

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.
For Sale—Residences
Four room house, South Erie street, corner lot $1,400
Four room (double) house, two out-kithens $2,000
Six roomed house, double lot, Richville Ave. $1500.
Seven roomed house, Wellman street, $2,700
For Rent.
Store room, Stone Block.
Store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891.
Business Property.
Ninety-two feet front on Erie street, on P., Ft. W & C. Ry., and Ohio canal. Unexcelled loaction for manufactory.
Vacant Lots.
One lot on West Tremont street, $425
One lot on South Erie street, $600.
Two lots on Wechter street, $225.
Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add., $300 to $45
Nineteen lots in my Richville Ave. add., $235
One lot on South Erie street, in Julia M. Jarvis sub-division, $550.
One lot on East Main street, best lot on the stree $2,100.
One lost just off West Tremont street, $800.
Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & L. E. railroads, $300.
Also have on my list many choice Western lands for sale or exchange, and many other bargains.
Easy Terms,
Long Time,
Low Interest
CALL AND SEE ME.
JAS. R. DUNN,

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GO TO
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14 lbs. G. Sugar	$1 00
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Dannamiller coffee	
Lion coffee	
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5 cans best Peaches	$1 00
5 cans best Apricots	1 00
12 cans Tomatoes	1 00
Good Broom	10
Golden drip Syrup per gal	35
Good Tea Per Pound	25

All other goods proportionally low.
Wm. A. PIETZCKER,
Proprietor,
No. 1, West Main Street.
Massillon, Ohio.

In the Spring the Young Man's Fancy

Lightly turns to thoughts of Dress, and a most important part of it is the Hat, Ties, Gloves, &c., which lends a touch of Dash and Brilliancy to his attire. He wants the latest, most stylish and the best. We are in a position to meet his fancy and wishes. We have an immense assortment of stunning novelties, for the lowest popular prices. Look out for our line of Easter Ties.

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And Men's Furnishers, No. 4 East Main St.

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TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio—Thursday, cold wave, temperature will fall to about thirty degrees by 8 a. m., March 20. A later special bulletin from Gen. Greely reads: rain or snow and colder.

TO-NIGHT—At Buchers, "The U. S. Mail."

Mr. Clement Russell is ill.

Canal Superintendent A. W. Hall is in the city to-day.

Charles Yost has returned from Berea for the spring vacation.

W. E. Terhune, of Toledo, was at the Hotel Conrad last night.

Miss Ella Shafer entertained a small party at cards last evening.

F. E. Sprague and wife, of Toledo, are guests at the Hotel Conrad.

Miss Lou Wilson, of Canton, is visiting with Miss Ada Wert, in North street.

E. C. Segner's store has been connected with the telephone exchange. Call 135.

Richard Johnson is confined to the house with quite a serious attack of la grippe.

Mr. E. D. Miller, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higginbotham.

The coroner did not arrive, as expected, yesterday, to take testimony in the Navarre wreck case.

Erhard & Schimke have contracted for two new steel boilers of eighty horse-power capacity each.

The fifth of the series of dances will be given by the Gradatim dancing club, April 1st in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Louis Brush, of Mt. Union, was the guest of his cousin, George H. McCall, at the Hotel Conrad this morning.

The condition of W. C. Russell was considered quite serious yesterday, but to-day he appears much better.

Miss Arline Webb and her guest, Miss Adelaide Pew, of Warren, have returned, after a short visit in Wellington.

Members of Massillon Commandery, No. 4, K. T., will attend Easter services at St. Timothy's church, Sunday morning, March 26, in a body.

Mr. James R. Dunn left for New York at 10 o'clock last night. He was on his return from Kansas City, and merely stopped off between trains.

Sir Knight Frank Shallenberger represented Massillon Commandery No. 4 Knights Templar at the funeral of Sir Knight Dr. S. P. Grill at Wooster to-day.

The Pennsylvania Company's engineers were in the city yesterday surveying the railroad property's boundary south of the station, with a view of ascertaining the company's exact property right.

The work of relieving the Ridgway Burton Company's South Massillon mine is progressing favorably. Yesterday a diver was again employed, and succeeded in releasing another of the submerged pumps.

The American Express Company will offer for sale, in Cleveland, on April 9, unclaimed freight shipped to the following persons in Massillon. M. Bonomoritz, Mrs. A. Foster, John Mattie, Mrs. C. Pleasant, Mrs. L. Rose, F. J. Reed, C. N. Strock.

A story gained pretty general circulation on the streets to-day that Henry F. Oehler had died at his home in Florida. The rumor was thoroughly investigated, with the result that it is not true, but probably started from a reliable statement that he is sick.

The union meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies and the Epworth League will be held in the M. E. Sunday school room Thursday evening, March 19, at half past 7. The subject is "Love" and the Scripture chapter for the evening is I Cor., xiii, Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

The bell on the central engine house rang last evening for a lost child, the 4-year-old son of Mrs. J. F. Paul. The little fellow wandered away from home and could not be located for several hours, but was found unharmed at play on the hill near his mother's residence in Wellman street.

Mrs. J. V. R. Skinner gave a progressive euchre party last evening, for Mrs. Watson H. Wyman, of Cincinnati. The prizes for progression went, in order, to Mrs. H. C. Brown, Mr. Charles Steese, Miss Laura Russell, and Mr. H C. Brown; prizes for lone hands to Miss Karthaus and Mr. F. L Baldwin.

Capt. Asa Cutler met with an accident Friday evening, near his marine home on the canal. Owing to the darkness he stepped into an unguarded pit partly filled with water, near the electric light station, and it was some time before he was discovered and assisted out, painfully but not seriously injured.

A highly enjoyable social was held by the Daughters of Rebekah in Odd Fellows' hall last night. About forty persons composed the party. The principal diversion of the evening was progressive euchre, five tables being occupied at one time. Mrs. Wm. Newstetter won the first ladies' prize, and C. H. Rudolph the first gentleman's prize, the booby prizes being earned by Mrs. D. F. Reinoehl and Chas. Young.

The other day somebody lost a muff. The loss was advertised in THE INDEPENDENT want column. The advertisement cost twenty-five cents. The muff was worth five or six dollars. The muff was found at Z. T. Baltyly's. The advertisement was seen. And now owner and property can "get together" at the Independent Co.'s store. These incidents are of daily occurrence. The moral is obvious.

The terms of enlistment of a majority of the members of Company F, Eighth Regiment, O. N. G., will expire within the next few months, and the company will be recruited as promptly as possible, and strongly reorganized. It is very important that an active and subtantial membership be obtained, as Company F will encamp at Chicago, with the Ohio National Guard, during the world's fair, and it is the wish of the adjutant general that the average be raised up to the highest possible point.

Attorney O. E. Young prepared the application for a charter for the Massillon Athletic Association to day, and the articles of incorporation will be given the approval of the secretary of state just as speedily as the law allows. Since the first meeting of the members, last Friday night, many additional shares have been taken, and the committees are all at work. If those who have the subscription lists continue to press the matter, the desired membership of 200 certainly can be had. The institution, if created upon the general lines laid down, will surely be the most popular organization in the city. It means healthful recreation for all, and should have the disapproval of none.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Warwick are at the Hotel Del Coronado. It was of Coronado that Charles Dudley Warner wrote: "But my description would fail to give the secret of the charm of existence here. Restlessness disappears for one thing, but there is no languor or depression. I cannot tell why, when the thermometer is at sixty or sixty-three, the air seems genial and has no sense of chilliness, or why it is not oppressive at eighty or eighty-five. I am sure the place will not suit those whose highest ideal of winter enjoyment is tobogganing, and an ice palace, nor those who revel in the steam and languor of a tropical island. But for a person whose desires are moderate, whose tastes are temperate, who is willing for once to be good humored and content in equable conditions, I should commend Coronado Beach, and the Hotel Del Coronado, if I had not long ago learned that it is unsafe to commend to any human being a doctor or a climate. But you can take your choice."

HE HAS RECONSIDERED.

Ex-Treasurer Doll Will Not be a Candidate for Mayor.

CANTON, March 19.—Ex-Treasurer Doll has declined to be a candidate for mayor, at the Republican primaries. This leaves ex-Mayor Rex, G. V. L. Mellinger, Dr. George B. Cock and John N. Ramsey in the race.

Robert N. Taylor was to-day appointed guardian of the minor heirs of Jacob J. Whitmer, deceased.

The county commissioners have tendered their decision in the Mentzer road case, and have declared the road vacated.

Mrs. Sadie Mattice, of Cleveland, a daughter of County Recorder Daugherty, died at her home yesterday, after a prolonged illness. Both Mr. and Mrs Daugherty are in Cleveland. The remains will probably be brought to this city for burial on Friday.

Mrs. Celia Fest, of Philadelphia, Pa., died Tuesday morning at her home. Mrs. Fest was a sister of Mrs. C. Auitman, and was the only other one of the family left.

The dedicatory service of the Kountze Evangelical Lutheran church will be held at Osnaburg, Easter Sabbath, March 29. The feast of dedication will commence with preaching services on Friday evening preceding.

Jacob Bachtel received notice yesterday of the death of J. V. Mohn, of Mitchell, Dak. He was formerly of Canton and employed in the office of Bucher & Gibbs's plow works. He was but one week sick. Their many friends will mourn with the widow and family.

The Rev. Mr. MacQueary will preach in the Independent Congregational church, Jamestown, N. Y., next Sunday.

Barney Geoghan's Accident.

An engine and loaded coal car jumped the track on the W. & L. E. road at Sippe yesterday morning, and it required the services of the wreck train about two hours to get them on again. Yardmaster Barney Geoghan was at the brake on the car at the time; the brake broke, threw him upwards about twelve feet, and he alighted on a large lump of coal. The force of his fall was broken by a brakeman who interrupted his abrupt descent sufficiently to avert the possible breaking of his neck, but he was, nevertheless, badly bruised on the hip and had a finger sprained. The injuries will necessitate his laying off duty for several days at least.

Jimmy Goes Free.

Jimmie McGuire was released from the city prison last night, without even being subjected to the indignity of a verbal chastisement by the mayor or to the annoyance and inconvenience of paying a fine and costs, but on the promise however, that he would shake the combination of Massillon dust and mud from his feet. Sad to say the plighted word of an honorable man has been rudely broken, for the redoubtable descendant of St. Patrick yet lingers within the city gates and continues to be a carbuncle on a moral community. What can be done with the worrisome excrescence?

Prominent Arrivals.

Blaine and Cleveland will be in Massillon to-morrow and will make their headquarters at the Star Clothing House, No. 26 S Erie street. Everybody invited to welcome them.

Sunday School Convention.

The Sabbath School convention of the Eighteenth District O. S. S. A., including Stark, Wayne and Holmes counties, will meet at Orrville, March 24 and 25. Sabbath schools will please send delegates.
W. B. LEGGETT, Sec'y.

Tiddledy winks at Baltzly's.

MANY WILLING VICTIMS.

THE HOST OF CANDIDATES ON THE CAUCUS TICKET.

A List From Which Local Democracy Will Select its Standard Bearers—Half a Dozen Able Bodied Men After Limbach's Official Scalp.

A caucus of the Democratic aspirants for nomination to the various city and township offices, to be filled at the coming spring election, was held in the Y. M. D. C. room last night. A few changes were made in the list of candidates, the names complete being as follows:

CITY TICKET.

Marshal—Thomas Hagan.
Solicitor—Lucullus Victor Teeple.
Treasurer—Paul Kirchhofer, Louis List.
Street commissener—Thomas Volkmor. John J Geis, Louis Limbach, Wm. Vogt, Geo. W. Evrit, Theodore Kramer, Martin Limbach.
Council—First ward, E. C. Segner; second ward, Wilson Graber; third ward, Josiah Clutz; fourth ward, Perry H. Young.
Assessors—First ward, H.B. Sibila; second ward, Michael Bar, third ward, George Frantz, Ed. Fetzer; fourth ward, August Donant, Frederick C. Emmerich, Patrick Bruder.

TOWNSHIP TICKET.

Trustee—George Schaffert, Julius Wittman, Jacob Mauger.
Treasurer—No candidate.
Constable—Frank Shepley, John Shearer.
Assessor—Massillon precinct, Antony Richard; Richville precinct, Henry Moke, B. F. Stump, I. P. Swihart.

The primary will be held in Schafer & Maufz's office, between the hours of 1 and 7 o'clock, on Saturday, March 21. H. B. Sibila and Peter A. Schneider were selected as judges, and Michael Bar and Harmon Shaidnagle, clerks.

All the candidates, particularly those for street commissioner, pledged themselves to support the ticket nominated.

HIS SENTENCE ARRIVES.

Mr. MacQueary will at Once Leave the Episcopal Church.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

CANTON, March 19.—The Rev. Howard MacQueary to-day received formal notice of the verdict from Bishop Leonard that he shall within six months either renounce his views on the virgin birth and the bodily resurrection or else be degraded from the ministry. He has made public his intention of quitting the Episcopal church and will join the Unitarian ministry. He thinks the verdict unjust and unreasonable, and says that neither the court nor jury which tried him believe in the literal version of the scriptures regarding the virgin birth. He protests that he could not change his views in six months.

Burned to Death.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

AKRON, March 19.—Mrs. Wm. Watterson, aged 75, burned to death, to-day, at her home in Mt. Eaton, Wayne county.

Let It Come.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

ROME, March 19.—It is rumored here that the Mediterranean fleet has been ordered to America.

Ticks by Telegraph.

PORTSMOUTH, O., March 19.—Dr. Finch, superintendent of the insane asylum under Hoadly is dead.

RICHMOND, O., March 19.—J. E. Graham, formerly of Uhrichsville, editor of The Gazette, died of paralysis.

MADISON, Ind., March 19.—Contrary to dispatches in morning city papers United States Treasuaer Huston writes to friend in this city, that he will soon return to Indiana for good.

James Preston Emery.

A vigilant search for several days by Officer Hose to locate the body of James Preston Emory, the well known colored lad, was rewarded to-day by the officer finding him. "Pres" has unequivocally declared that he would not go to school, his mother has no control over him, and he is generally incorrigible. It was at the request of the boy's mother and her friends that the truant officer took charge af him to-day, and will take him to the reform farm at Lancaster. Commitment papers were made out by Justice Paul in the lockup this afternoon, Dr. F. B. Williamson conducting the medical examination, and the irrepressible Pres will be taken to the farm to-morrow, he being perfectly willing to go.

A Precautionary Placard.

The chief mine inspector has had printed, and ordered posted at every mine in the state, the following notice:

DEP'T OF MINES AND MINING,
STATE OF OHIO.

All persons are hereby warned to not enter this mine until it has been examined each morning by some competent person, designated for that purpose, who shall report at some place of general rendezvous that his or their working places and the road leading thereto, is in a safe condition. R. M. HASELTINE,
Chief Inspector of Mines for Ohio.
COLUMBUS, O., March 4, 1891.

Firemen Please Notice.

There will be a meeting of all firemen of this city on Friday evening, March 20, 1891, at the central engine house. A full attendance is requested, as business of importance to all firemen will be transacted. By request of FIREMEN.

Ask your dealer for "Enterprise Mill" white loaf flour. Take no other.

The want column is authority on "situations and help wanted."

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THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1891

This Date in History—March 19.

1815—Napoleon reached Fontainebleau on his return from Elba, having been joined by many of his old officers and soldiers; meanwhile Louis XVIII and his court had taken refuge in Belgium.

1817—Birth of Seth Green in Rochester, N. Y., fish culturist.

1823—Iturbide abdicated the Mexican throne and was sent into exile.

1858—Lucknow, the stronghold of the sepoy insurgents, captured by the English.

1865—Last great battle of Gen. Sherman's army at Bentonville, N. C.; the Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Seventeenth and Twentieth corps and cavalry division; the Confederates fought with unusual desperation.

1871—The French insurgents nominate a central committee of the national guard, headed by Assy, a workingman, who took possession of public offices; Thiers issued a circular enjoining obedience to the assembly.

1873—San Salvador destroyed by earthquakes; 50 killed; loss $12,000,000.

1886—Death in Atlanta of ex-U. S. Senator John P. King; born 1799

For once Stark county has a coroner who is efficient, active, and accommodating.

Major McKinley expects to return to Canton about April 12. He ought to have the right sort of a welcome—a popular uprising with no politics in it.

The house has passed a sensible bill, which takes election contests from the legislature, and into the supreme court, where only such cases can be settled on their merits. But eleven members voted nay. They were each and all Democrats, and among them the Circleville Pharisee, Dresbach.

Senator Howells is taking a very sensible course with respect to the federal grant of $25,000 a vear for the land grant college in this state. This money should go to the Ohio State University, which has an agricultural department. In order, however, to catch the colored vote, a Democratic attempt has been made to have this sum divided with Wilberforce University for colored students, which, in order to be eligible, would have to establish an agricultural department, also. The point is that the grant divided would be too small to be of practical use anywhere, and as the Ohio University makes no race distinction, having now many colored students, it should receive the entire sum, as intended. Mr. Howells falls in with this common sense view, and is so working.

DEMOCRATIC DISCORD.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer has also discovered that Governor Campbell is to be sidetracked, if possible in favor of Lawrence T. Neal, with the ultimate idea of returning John R. McLean to the United States senate. John R. McLean a senator! It is in keeping with Democratic precedent, however, to follow this course. Mr. McLean, although he has property interests in Ohio, has been a resident of Washington for many years. While he would have less difficulty than Mr. Brice, the boodler, in establishing his legal residence in this state, the moral status of the two would be the same.

The Plain Dealer's correspondents are blunt in speaking of the matter. The dispatch from Washington opens thus:

"Governor Campbell is in New York consulting with Senator-elect Brice relative to the scheme to defeat his renomination and nominate 'Larry' Neal. The Plain Dealer correspondent is in a position to-day to shed some additional light on that subject. The contract by which Campbell was to be sidetracked was arranged between Neal and John R. McLean after the former's return from New York, when he went to secure Brice's indorsement, but instead received his complete disapproval of the scheme. Brice's antagonism upset the calculations of the opposition to Campbell and necessitated a change of base. It was agreed that it would never do to carry the fight into the convention as that would insure the defeat of the ticket, no matter what the outcome of the convention might be, but that war on Campbell should be immediately levied for the purpose of forcing him to decline to stand for a renomination. No time was to be lost. Neal returned to Ohio supplied, it is said, with the munitions of war, and the campaign against Campbell was opened in The Enquirer by the reproduction of all newspaper articles adverse to Campbell. No later than last Monday The Enquirer 'Scott Rayed' the governor by reproducing a caustic criticism of his course that had appeared in the Shelbyville (Ind.) Democrat."

Governor Campbell is fully cognizant of the situation, for he has telegraphed to his private secretary, authorizing him to state that the publishers of articles derogatory to his character will be prosecuted civilly and criminally.

SHALL YOU MOVE APRIL 1?

Cut the Coupon Out, Fill the Blank and Send It in.

Moving day is on the way, and it is of considerable importance to many persons to know exactly who intend to move, and where they expect to re-locate. THE INDEPENDENT proposes that all persons expecting to make a change, fill out the annexed coupon, and return it to this office. The change will be briefly announced in a list to be published before April 1, which will be one of great usefulness to all retail merchants, news and letter carriers.

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will move from

No..... .....*street,*

to No..... .....*street,*

on or about.....

.....

That Navarre Wreck.

Coroner Openheimer came over from Canton to-day with the view of taking the testimony of several persons in the inquest to locate the responsibility for the death of Postal Clerk W. T. McLean, as a result of the W. & L. E. wreck at Navarre. A talk was had with Mr. P. G. Albright, who was a passenger on the train, but as his testimony would not add anything to the facts secured from others, it was not taken. Mr. J. M. Clark, who was also a passenger, is not in the city to day, but the coroner said that if he (Mr. Clark) did not go back to the alleged defective switch after the wreck his testimony would not be necessary. The verdict will probably be rendered next Monday or Tuesday.

The Firemen's Meeting.

The published call for the meeting of all the fire companies in the city, to be held in the central engine house to-morrow evening, is stated to be for the purpose of considering the question of having the department of this city join the Northeastern Ohio Volunteer Firemen's Association. It is probable also that the meeting may consider the question of the vacancy in the position of driver at the central engine house.

Church Social Concert.

The following concert programe will be rendered at the Presbyterrian chapel to-morrow night in connection with the social:

Solo and Violin Obligato..."Once in a While,"
Miss Mame Lyon and Mr. Harold Howald.
{a Nocturn No. 4.....Robert Temnest
{b Selections from Martha.....Streabog
Miss Grace Patterson.
Etude, as played by Joseph Hoffman.....
Miss Jessie Drake.
"Evening Bells," four hands.....Adam Geibel
Misses Jessie Drake and Lillian Thompson.
Recitation......"Psalm of Life."
Miss Edna McClymonds.
"Robin's Song,".....
Master Charles Chidester.
{a Waltz.....Chopin
{b Nocturn op 4, No. 2.....Chopin
Miss Anna Edgar.
"Lovely Spring,".....W. Coenen
Miss Nellie Williams.
{a "The Azra.....Reubenstein
{b "Resolution,".....Tassin
Miss Jessie Russell.
Accompanist of the evening—Miss Anna Edgar.

Mr. James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ill., says: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day and would insist on everyone who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

The Wadsworth Normal College has added a full business course to its curriculum. Bookkeeping, banking, penmanship, shorthand and typewriting, all by professional teachers. Cheaper than any other college. We mean business. Term opens April 7. Send for catalogue.

J. B. EBERLY,
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To reduce my stock, preparatory to making extensive improvements in my store rooms, I will offer my entire stock of groceries, queensware and lamps, at and below cost, for 30 days. Wm. A. Pietzcker, proprietor Enterprise grocery, No. 1 West Main street.

Great slaughter sale of smoking, fine cut and plug tobacco at Lutz's tobacco store, on Saturday, March 21st, from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. This will be your last chance. Come and lay in a good supply, 41 South Erie, J. Lutz, proprietor.

Massillon Comandery No. 4, Knights Templar will meet in their Asylum, for drill, on Thursday evening, March 19 The Knights are earnestly requested to attend. WILLIAM J. MILLARD, E. C.

The new homestead bread contains no adulteration but is pure, sweet and wholesome. Made by A. J. Richeimer.

Give the new homestead bread a trial; made by A. J. Richeimer.

7 jars assorted jellies, 2 lb. each, for $1 at G. F. Breckel's grocery.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Mr. Davis Furnishes His Version of a Celebrated Case.

MR. EDITOR:—I saw in your paper of the 17th inst., an article headed "Mr. Chaboudy's Explanation," which I aver to be a falsehood from begining to end, which I can prove by the presiding officer and the members present. I did not "start" for him as he says, but was addressing the house upon the question then under discussion, "Violation of Laws," which some of the members were guilty of doing, Chaboudy among them. Instead of taking the floor to defend himself he became angry at what I had said, seized the poker and dealt the murderous blow. In order to set himself right before the public, he has resorted to falsehood, which all know, who were present at the time. THOS. DAVIS.

"On With the Dance!"

MR. EDITOR:—In reply to a card in THE INDEPENDENT, unjustly conveying the impression that in the ball to be given by the mail carriers, on the evening of Easter Monday, there is a purpose to deceive any one, as to the originators of the project, I wish to say, that when some of the carriers decided to hold the ball and found that I had secured the hall, an agreement was made that I should have one fifth of the proceeds for giving up the hall, and that is all there is to it. There is no desire to deceive that I am aware of. And because one or two of the carriers do not agree with the others in the arrangements it will not postpone the ball. The arrangements are complete and all who attend will get value received. Respectfully,

CHARLES FORSYTHE.

FACTS FOR FULTONIANS.

Bits of News From a Busy Little Town.

CANAL FULTON, March 20.—A. B. Campbell has returned from his trip to Canada. He left his father, whose serious illness summoned him home, much better.

Last evening Florian Houriet was surprised to find his home invaded by thirty friends, among them his three children, whom he supposed several miles away, attending to their school teaching. They came home, however, to remind their father that it was his fiftieth birthday anniversary. Several members of the G. A. R. were present their congratulations to their old comrade. An elegant lunch was served and a delightful evening was spent.

The much talked of creamery building is progressing rapidly and the builders hope to complete it by the 1st of April. That it will be a great blessing to the farmers no fair minded person can deny, and as our business here is largely dependent upon the farming community the town must be benefitted. Small wonder that the man who has been so industriously waging warfare against this enterprise in some of the county papers wants to, Adam like, put the responsibility for the weak discussion and conclusions upon a woman. Before the discussion is concluded I trow he will wish his "toque" a Gainsborough.

E. R. Held has been confined to the house several days with a severe attack of quinsy. At this writing he is better.

S. Liggett returned home Tuesday, having spent Sunday with his sister, Miss Liggett, at Wooster.

E. D. Edwards has moved his photograph gallery into the nice room elegantly fitted up in the Williams block.

Newman.

The name of Chapman in THE INDEPENDENT'S correspondence seems familiar to readers of this place.

The K. of P. lodge at North Lawrence are receiving new recruits from this place.

The body of Albert Davis, of Sippo, was interred at this place last week.

Benjamin Watkins has purchased the Angus Maxwell homestead for $400.00 which is a cheap home.

Benjamin Edwards has moved to his new home at the Bridge House in Massillon.

Miss Mary A. Williams has canvassed this vicinity for a book, entitled "Sitting Bull," making a success of it.

Fultonians are airing a difference of opinions on the merits of their creamery.

We are exceedingly pleased to learn of our former neighbor and friend Wm. G. Miller being selected out of a large number of applicants to take charge of the Forrest mine near Sippo. Mr. Wainwright is to be congratulated on his choice for mine boss. Mr. Miller had served for three years as trustee of our township and resigned the position one year ago, when he moved to his present location, giving invariably general satisfaction. He is known in the journalistic arena as the immortal W. G. M. and his many friends here hope he may yet find time to furnish THE INDEPENDENT with timely topics in the future. For the present we join his many friends in wishing him success in his new position.

AMUSEMENTS.

"The U. S. Mail" To-night.

Eighteen members of "The U. S. Mail" Company arrived to-day, the most of them being at the Hotel Conrad. The cast includes some of the best known farceurs in the country. Odell Williams, who had the part of Judge Chanfrau's "Kit," is John Moneymaker; Frank David, the operatic comedian, of Conreid's opera company, and later with "Conrad the Corsair" and "Evangeline," has a congenial role as Hi Hand, a humorous tramp printer; Georgie Parker, the original venus in "A Rag Baby," and one of the prettiest soubrettes and greatest dancers in the business, is Jack, the postman's daughter, Wm. Jerome, the song writer, is also included in the cast. Among the others is Harry O'Lynn, a precarious 5-year-old, whose song, "I'm not Baby McKee," has made such a hit, and a bevy of pretty girls.

The Johnstown Flood.

The people of the U. B. Church have secured a very popular lecturer, in the person of the Rev. J. H. Pershing, of Conemaugh, Pa. Mr. Pershing will lecture in Music Hall on Tuesday evening, March 24. Subject: "The Johnstown Flood." He is a survivor of the flood, though at first reported as lost, he being one of those who, after sustaining slight injury escaped from the stone bridge, where hundreds of bodies were carried. He was the first minister of the gospel to officiate in a morgue and at the graves of recovered victims. He was, also, chief of the temporary hospital. It will pay you to hear him. Admission 25 cents.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

Oppenheimer, the clothier, has an eye to business. It is said he has secured the services of Clif Poe, Thule Borden and some others of the most enterprising young men here to advertise his line of goods in head gear. Could that wild child of the plains, "Crazy Horse," see them in their gaudy black and yellow stripes, he would give one despairing cry and plunge into the sewer with a broken heart. As advertising boards, they are indeed a success, but it is believed a few daubs of war paint would add much to their fantastic, goary appearance. Frisco Bill says that when he meets them he can almost hear the blood curdling yell of the savage Sioux.

When Will Spuhler left the shop last evening, the boys all threw old shoes after him, hoping that the proverbial good luck would follow him and his through life.

Messrs. Charles Shertzer and John Printz are suffering from a dose of the grip. During the recent cold snap they forgot to take their ears in out of the cold.

All engine work intended for the Oregone train is being pushed to completion as fast as possible.

One of the busiest rooms in the works is the separator erecting room, where the machines destined for the far West are being constructed as fast as willing hands can put them together.

Every effort is being put forth to complete all the machinery necessary to make up the long Russell & Co. train which has been announced to leave here April 1 for Oregon. Every man who has a hand in the vast amount of work necessary to set up thirty or thirty-five cars of machinery, costing many thousands of dollars, has more or less pride in seeing the grand procession moving off to the great fields of the West, giving evidence all along the march across the continent to the Pacific slope of the thrift and enterprise and skill here at home in good old Massillon.

In the underground mail:—Mr. John Martin has been interviewed by associates in the wood department in regard to his matrimonial prospects. He was very reticent at first, but finally, upon condition that it should not appear among the echoes, admitted that if successful in the present campaign, in which he goes before the people with the issues fairly presented, he will at once settle down to the quiet and peaceful life of a home of his own, where the agreement will be "for better or for worse." But should the verdict be against him, this long looked for event will be defeated until his old friend Tanner becomes president, when, in recognition of his matchless eloquence in many and hard campaigns, it is intimated that he will receive an appointment, the nature of which is not revealed in deference to his wishes.

Now is the Time

When a good medicine should be taken to cleanse the system of impurities. Before consulting a physician or purchasing a highly priced blood purifier ask Morganthaler & Heister for a bottle of Scotch Sarsaparilla and try it. 50 cents per bottle, 50 doses. Scotch Little Liver Pills 25 cents.

Sickness Among Children

Especially infants, is prevalent more or less at all times, but is largely avoided by giving proper nourishment and wholesome food. The most successful and reliable of all is the Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk. Your grocer keeps it.

Ho! the Racket!

Dielhenn Bros.' stock of groceries and queensware has been moved to 46 South Erie street, where it will be sold regardless of cost, commencing Monday, March 16. Come to the racket store for big bargains in all kinds of goods.

Respectfully, T. GETZ.

The want column is a winner every time.

SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings in the neck; which causes running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or "humors;" which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. It is the most ancient of all diseases, and very few persons are entirely free from it.

How Can It Be CURED

By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. If you suffer from scrofula, try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Every spring my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, my little boy, three years old, being a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one mass of sores from head to feet. We all took Hood's Sarsaparilla, and all have been cured of the scrofula. My little boy is entirely free from sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy." W. B. ATHERTON, Passaic City, N. J.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY
Thursday, March 19th,
LETTERS HAVE FUN.
Engagement of the rollicking farcial success,
U.S.MAIL
An uproarous satire on the postal service.
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E The Queer Printing Shop, E
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E "I'm Not Baby McKee. E
A GREAT CAST.
Clever Comedians
Handsome Costumes, Pretty Girls.
U. S. Mail will make U. S. Mile
Prices, 75, 50, and 25
Reserved Seats on sale at the Independent Company's Store.

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FRIDAY, March 20
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GEO. C. STALEY
The World's Greatest Lullaby Singer and Yoder, in his Successful Comedy,
A ROYAL PASS!
A Superb Company of Players,
Picturesque Costumes,
New and Catchy Songs.
See the great
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Two real working engines, whistles blown with real steam, the greatest railroad show on earth.
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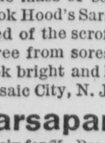
Crushed limestone for walks Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner.

Catarrh
In the head
Is a constitutional
Disease, and requires
A constitutional remedy
Like Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which Purifies the blood
Makes the weak strong,
Restores health.
Try it now.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A Fountain Pen for 10 Cents.

The new fountain pen is much better than the old favorite, and in many respects as good as its high-priced brother. The Independent Co.



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No. 6 1:13 p.m	No. 7 6 4 p.m
No. 8 7 50 p. m	Local 4 0 p.m
Local 7 10 a. m	

In effect June 9th at noon.

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO.

In effect June 15, 1890.

GOING EAST

No. 8.	Daily	2 50 a m
No. 10.	Daily except Sunday	7 45 a. m
No. 4.	Daily	1 00 p. m
No. 20.	Daily except Sunday	9 25 p. m

GOING WEST

No 1.	Daily except Sunday	8 25 a.m
No. 11.	Daily except Sunday	10 06 "
No. 9.	Daily	11 01 a. m
No. 3.	Daily	5 48 p. m
Local		8:15 a. m

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No. 3 Express...3:10 p m	No .28 Express..10:32 p m

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Would you pass any kind of a snap if you knew it?
Will you do so now?

We are going to build and must tear out the entire inside of our store. We are going to sell everything between the walls, principally

BOOTS -:- and -:- SHOES.

These we will sell and our prices will sell them. Come and see

H. H. PILLE

Remember Sippo Valley Flour
Retails at $1.25 per ¼ bbl Sack.

The Quick and the Dead

Which class do you belong to! Are you one of those who are quick to recognize a good thing and who therefore buy your clothes of us, or are you "dead to the world" by buying elsewhere! This fact is plain! All our goods are new now! Not a single old dead style is here! All are "quick" sellers on sight, because the prices are right! Right for you! Your saving is just as sure as the sun's rising! For all our splendid new spring styles are lower in price than the same qualities elsewhere!

HOW MANY BOYS

Have you got? Say six! And you save six dollars by buying their suits of us. We have the finest and largest stock of new neat-fitting and strong wearing Boy's and Children's Clothing that ever any parent ever saw in Massillon. All the latest styles. Richly elegant or simply stout and serviceable. The boys are hard on clothes and we insisted on the makers making them so they would stand the toughest usage, and at the same time present a stylish appearance. Remember we are one lowest price to all.

WEAR OVERALLS

Do you? Well here is your place to get them! We sell the most desirable, best made and finest shaped overalls in the city, and at the very lowest figures too.

NEW SPRING HATS

The new Dunlap and Youman shapes are in, and every gentleman should see them. They are the prettiest and best shaped hats we have ever shown. You must have one if you would be well dressed. Easter will soon be here. Don't be ashamed of yourself by wearing an old tile on that day.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

FIGURES SHOWING THE APPROPRIATIONS OF TWO CONGRESSES.

The Various Amounts Required to Lubricate the Different Departments of the Nation—Appropriations of the Fifty-First Congress Exceed Those of the Fiftieth Fully $170,000,000.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—An official statement prepared by the clerks of the senate and house appropriation committees for Senator Allison and Representative Cannon, chairmen of the committees, and showing the appropriations of the two last congresses, the Fiftieth and Fifty-first, was made public. By comparison the statement shows that the appropriations by the Fifty-first congress exceeded those of the Fiftieth fully $170,000,000. The sum total of appropriations by the Fifty-first congress aggregated $988,410,129 and those of the Fiftieth $817,963,859. The increases, together with the amount of each, were in the following named acts:

Agricultural appropriation bill	$ 1,441,473 50
Army appropriation	32,085 25
District of Columbia appropriation	637,819 09
Fortifications appropriation	2,802,144 00
Indian appropriations	7,307,146 70
Legislative appropriation	1,456,833 12
Navy	14,042,344 69
Pensions	113,312,351 69
Postoffice	22,668,343 58
River and harbor	2,738,278 10
Sundry civil	15,580,499 72

On the other hand the appropriations carried by the following bills were in the aggregate $11,523,279.69 less than in the same bills as passed by the Fiftieth congress. In total the decreases were:

Diplomatic and consular appropriation bill	$ 40,750 00
Military academy	380,409 75
Deficiencies	1,726,264 62
Miscellaneous	9,159,221 47
Permanent annual appropriations	216,593 85

Increases and Reductions.

In an analysis and explanation of the increases and reductions made in appropriation bills last congress it is stated that the increase in the agricultural bill was caused by increased appropriation for the establishment of agricultural experiment stations in various states, and for the expenses of the weather bureau transferred to the agricultural department. The increase in the fortification bill was caused by appropriations for the construction of gun and mortar batteries for the defense of Boston, New York and San Francisco, and for the new army gun factory at Watervliet arsenal. The increase of more than $7,000,000 in the Indian bill is due to new items of appropriation to carry out recent treaties with various tribes, mainly for the sale of portions of their lands, for paying the Choctaw and Chickasaw claim, and an increase of nearly $1,500,000 in appropriations for support of Indian schools. The increase of $1,500,000 in the legislative bill was caused by increase in the clerical force of the various departments. The increase in the navy bill was caused principally by increased appropriations for new warships. The increase of $113,312,351 in the pension bill, it is stated, is caused in part by the failure of the Fiftieth congress to make sufficient appropriations for pensions for the fiscal year 1890, leaving a deficiency to be provided for by the Fifty-first congress of $25,321,907, and the appropriation by the Fifty-first congress of the full amount estimated to be required for the fiscal year 1892, so that no deficiency appropriations for pensions will be necessary at the next session of congress. The increase for the postal service is due to the growth and expansion of that service and occurs mainly in the items for compensation to postmasters, clerks in postoffices, rent, etc. The increase for river and harbor improvements is due to enlarged appropriations for some of the principal works of improvement in progress on the Mississippi and Missouri rivers.

Musicians in Session at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., March 19.—The Musicians' league met at the Plankinton house yesterday. Reports of the secretary were read. Representation without taxation was discussed and a statement was made that the trouble in New York had caused the delay of one week. This trouble had caused the president of the league to go there. The trouble was reported as amicably adjusted. The address of the president shows that the league has increased its membership within the past year from 5,732 to 7,982. Secretary Breckinhas' annual report shows seven local organizations joined the national body during the year from Denver, Rochester, New York, Indianapolis, Louisville, Seattle, Wash.; Helena and Memphis.

La Grippe Worse Than Ever in Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 19.—La grippe continues its ravages, with no signs of abatement. Forty-four persons, suffering with the disease, complicated in some cases with pneumonia, were admitted to the county hospital, and on Tuesday fifty-five were taken in. At night the hospital was so crowded that many of the patients were compelled to lie on mattresses placed on the floor. Up to the present time all those taken in have been well cared for, but if the applications continue in such numbers there will not be room for them.

No Statue for Secretary Windom.

ST. PAUL, MINN., March 19.—Three weeks ago Mr. Reeve introduced a bill to appropriate $20,000 for securing and placing in the National Capitol statues of the late Gen. Sibley and Secretary Windom. It is now proposed to cut Windom out of the bill, the claim being made that he was not, for some years previous to his death, a resident of this state. The bill was reported back with the name of Windom stricken out and the amount reduced to $10,000. What action will be taken by the house cannot now be predicted.

A Powder Explosion Injures Four Men.

CENTRALIA, PA., March 19.—There was a terrible explosion of powder at the Centralia colliery, operated by L. A. Reilly & Co., yesterday, which resulted in the serious burning of four men. The men were driving a tunnel in the mines, and while moving about a spark from a lamp ignited a large can of powder and the explosion followed.

Want Their Share of the Direct Tax.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Acting Secretary Nettleton received applications from the governors of Kansas and Indiana for their state's share of the direct tax. Kansas' share is $71,743 and Indiana's share is $769,144.

REV. WOODRUFF LOCKED UP,

Charged with Secreting Property on which He Had Given a Chattel Mortgage.

CATSKILL, N. Y., March 19.—The Rev. W. Louis Woodruff, who was rector of St. Luke's church, in this village, during the year 1890, was arrested in New York Tuesday and brought here. He is charged with secreting property, on which he had given a chattel mortgage, by Harry C. Vedder. The property in question is a stereoptican which he mortgaged to Vedder to secure a loan of $200. The instrument cannot be found and it is alleged that Mr. Woodruff refuses to say where it is, although he has repeatedly promised to do so. He arrived here in the afternoon and, although opportunity was offered him to secure bail, he expressed a preference to being locked up and was placed in jail. It is known that during the short time Mr. Woodruff was in charge of St. Luke's he had upwards of $5,000, including his salary, loans of money, credits, etc, and what he has done with this large sum is a mystery to those who were his friends. Recently he was deposed from the ministry of the Episcopal church at his own request. Mr. Woodruff has a most estimable family, who are still residing in this village.

A Peculiar Pension Case.

GOSHEN, IND., March 19.—A peculiar pension case is that of Mary E. Dewey, of this place, who served throughout the civil war, disguised as a male private in the Twenty-sixth regiment, Ohio volunteers, under the alias of Charles Dewey. She now applies for a pension. A gunshot wound in the leg, received during her service, forms the basis of her claim for original pension.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

New Jersey has passed the new congressional redistricting bill.

Patrick O'Sullivan, in for life for killing Dr. Cronin, is after a new trial.

United States Navy enlistments have been closed. The limit is reached.

The decision in the Boyd-Thayer contest in Nebraska has been indefinitely postponed.

An English syndicate, it is said, is about to secure control of the Westinghouse interests.

Lord Tennyson has declined to write a song for the world's fair opening. He urges that he is too old a man.

Ex-Senator Pierce, of Dakota, has his choice between the Japanese ministry and the editorship of The Minneapolis Tribune.

Rev. Eliphalet Kent, of Shelbyville, one of Indiana's oldest Presbyterian ministers, celebrated his ninety-first birthday on Tuesday. His wife gave Vice President Hendricks his earliest education.

In the house of commons the Welsh local option bill was passed to second reading. The vote was 186 to 179. The announcement of the result was greeted by enthusiastic cheers from the opposition.

The Elizabeth Cordage works, the second largest industry in Elizabeth, N. J., was destroyed by fire yesterday. Six hundred people were employed in the works, 250 of whom were females. The plant was worth $600,000. The works belonged to the National Cordage company and were the largest rope making works in the United States.

Antiquieties for the World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Lieut. H. R. Lemly, of the United States army, the special commissioner to the Republic of Columbia, in the interest of the world's Columbian exposition, reports that he has secured for exhibition a most remarkable collection of antiquities, which has been gathered by a famous collector of that country during investigations for the last thirty-five or forty years. The collection includes many articles of gold and silver, of an intrinsic value of $35,000, and the whole collection is estimated to be worth $120,000.

Prince Napoleon's Body Lying in State.

ROME, March 19.—The body of Prince Napoleon is lying in state in the mortuary chapel improvised in the house in which he died. The body is clothed in a black frock coat, and on the breast of the dead prince is placed the cross of the Legion of Honor and the Italian Order of the Annunciada. It has been officially ordered by King Humbert that the interment take place in the royal crypt in the Church of La Superga, in Turin.

A General in the Penitentiary.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Gen. Peter Classen, convicted of embezzlement of the funds of the Sixth National bank was sentenced by Judge Benedict, in the United States circuit court, yesterday to six years in the Erie county penitentiary.

HURLED THROUGH AIR.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT AT THE CRESCENT STEEL WORKS, PITTSBURG.

Three Men Fatally Burned and Six Others Injured—Bricks and Iron Blown with Terrific Force from the Furnace—Natural Gas Said to Have Been the Cause.

PITTSBURG, March 19. — Yesterday a terrific explosion occurred in furnace No. 3 at the Crescent steel works, near the foot of Forty-ninth street and Allegheny Valley railroad. Three men were blown away from in front of the furnace by the concussion and struck with flying bricks and other debris and so badly injured that their recovery is deemed impossible. Besides these a number of others were injured. No time was lost in removing the more seriously injured workmen to the various hospitals and others to their homes. In all fully nine of the employes were badly injured, three of whom are reported to be already dying from their burns and cuts.

How the Accident Occurred.

At the hour mentioned Fred Bonborst, the puddler in charge of No. 3 furnace, and his helpers, Henry Witman and John Gustavison, were at work cleaning out the furnace and removing some redhot slag, when, without a moment's warning, a terrific explosion occurred, blowing out the entire front and top of the furnace, and causing its entire collapse. The men were thrown a distance of several yards away and were almost buried beneath the falling fragments of iron and bricks. A number of helpers and laborers, who were working near the furnace, were also more or less injured by flying bricks. The cause of the explosion seems to be unknown, as Superintendent Edwards, of the works, attributed it to hot slag coming in contact with wet cinders left unperceived after the furnace had been cooled off. On the other hand, a number of the workmen who were interrogated are equally confident that the explosion was caused by the accumulation of natural gas. They say that for some time the supply of gas has been very irregular and that a similar explosion occurred from this cause in one of the furnaces about two weeks ago, but no one was seriously hurt. The following is a

List of Those Injured:

Fred Berneberg, aged 40, married; burned and head crushed in; fatally injured.

E[illegible] Whettman, aged 40, married; ribs cr[illegible], badly burned about the head and [illegible] recover.

[illegible]rvison, aged 30, married; badly [illegible]t the body and legs; will not re-

[illegible]chmitt, John Gerwig, Michael [illegible] Edward Wannick were struck by [illegible]cks and sustained cuts and bruises, but none of a serious character.

The force of the explosion threw brick and fragments of iron clear across the open space between the main works, a distance of fully seventy-five feet. Remarkable as it may seem, all of the employes who were in the open space mentioned at the time escaped being struck by the flying fragments.

EATEN ALIVE.

Fearful Experience of Edward Stein at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, March 19. — Edward Stein, who boards with Herman Biringer, at No. 880 Pearl street, will probably die from the effects of an attack upon him by three powerful English mastiffs. The dogs are owned by Biringer, and are confined in a back yard, which is inclosed by a high board fence. Stein went into the yard, and the dogs fell upon him with one accord. When he was finally rescued the flesh and muscles of both his arms were but shapeless and quivering masses, and the flesh at the right hip was chewed into shreds. There were also several deep gashes on his head and body, the total number of distinct wounds being twenty. He will be a cripple for life if he lives.

EPIDEMIC OF GRIP.

Buffalo Suffers from the Russian Scourge Worse Than Ever.

BUFFALO, March 19.—The Russian terror, the grip, has made its appearance in a startling form, and nearly every physician in the city has more cases than he can handle. They all admit, too, that the attack is more severe and more fatal than it was last year. Instead of being confined to the head and throat, as heretofore, it now attacks the lungs and almost invariably results in pneumonia of so violent a character that it is next to impossible to save the patient's life. There are 7,000 cases in town and the disease has been pronounced epidemic.

Contract Let for a Monument.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., March 19.—The contract for erecting a monument to the unknown dead in Grandview was yesterday awarded to J. L. Smith, a marble cutter of this place. The price is $6,500 and the monument is to be erected by May 31, 1892, which will be the third anniversary of the flood.

A Break Reported.

SCOTTDALE, PA., March 19.—Twenty [illegible] the strikers at Cochrane's Nellie [illegible]ks are reported to have returned to work at the reduction. Operators claim they are receiving many applications for work.

TRAGEDY AT NEW ORLEANS.

Arthur Dunn, State Counsel in the Recent Trial, Shoots and Kills Frank Waters, a Newspaper Man.

NEW ORLEANS, March 19. — At 11 o'clock last night Capt. Arthur Dunn, a prominent politician and a well-known attorney of this city, became involved in a quarrel with Frank Waters, an ex-journalist and well-known character about town, and a shooting scrape resulted, terminating in the killing of Waters and the serious wounding of Dunn. Capt. Dunn was one of the attorneys employed by the state in the recent trial of the Italians charged with the assassination of Chief of Police Hennessy. The trouble last night began in the early part of the evening. Waters had been drinking in a saloon, and during the course of his remarks stigmatized the killing of the Italians at the parish prison as an outrage on the community, and expressed himself as satisfied that all those men who partook in the killing would come to an untimely end. Dunn met him shortly afterward and a dispute took place, during the progress of which Dunn referred to Waters as a murderer, he having killed Joseph Baker here in 1887. The dispute grew warmer and Dunn pulled his revolver and shot Waters in the cheek and in the mouth. The last bullet ranged upward and penetrated the brain. Waters returned the fire of his antagonist and wounded Dunn twice in the left leg and again in the right side of his chest near the nipple. Waters died almost instantly. Dunn was taken to the hospital, where he lies in a precarious condition.

Investigating Saturday's Killing.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—An investigation was begun yesterday by the grand jury into the killing of the Italians on Saturday last. It is said that an indictment will be found against O'Malley, although no findings were returned. The citizens' committee, it is understood, will make a thorough investigation into the charge of jury bribery. In an interview the chief of the police, at the time, stated that Hennessy arrested Esposito in Jackson square, and that Detective Mooney, of New York, took him on board a steamer bound for New York the next morning. Mooney claimed all the credit for the arrest upon his arrival in New York and Hennessy received no reward for the capture of Esposito.

REV. MACQUEARY'S CASE.

The Canton Preacher Awaiting Official Announcement of His Suspension.

CANTON, O., March 19.—The Rev. Howard MacQueary will preach no more in Canton. The verdict of suspension would settle that, but he had determined upon immediate resignation no matter what the result was, merely waiting for the official announcement. He has had propositions from the church of the Messiah (Unitarian) at Chicago, also from a leading Unitarian church at Toronto, Canada; from Jamestown, N. Y., and other points. He is awaiting the receipt of official information of the verdict, which he understands is suspension. His friends think the bishop has been taking a part in the conviction. The Rev. MacQueary expected to be acquitted, believing two or three of the court decided upon acquittal. His friends had expected at least one other to vote in that way, although the verdict had been reached and Mr. MacQueary convicted of heresy. It is not thought that this ends the matter in the church. Mr. MacQueary's mail has assumed the size of a congressman's and his admirers over the country are sending sympathetic messages. Although the verdict will drive him to Unitarianism and from the Episcopal church, members here think the questions raised by this case have raised a discussion, the end of which is by no means in sight.

ENFORCING THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

A Hoosier Laborer Sues His Employers for Ninety Days' Extra Pay.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 19.—A novel suit under the eight-hour law has been brought by John Grissell in Justice Alford's court. He says that he was engaged by a flour and feed company May 27, 1890, to work at $1.25 a day, and that he remained with the company until March 12, 1891, during all this time working eleven hours a day. He sued for pay for extra work each day, making in all 720 hours. The acts of 1889 declare that eight hours shall constitute a legal day's work for all classes of mechanics, workingmen and laborers, except in agricultural and domestic labor.

Boarders Chloroformed and Robbed.

CINCINNATI, O., March 19.—At 49 Eleventh street, in Covington, Ky., is a boarding house, where about a dozen railroad hands stay. Yesterday they were paid off, and during the night some one chloroformed them and stole all the money in the house, amounting to over $200. There is no clue.

Trouble Among Coshocton Miners.

COSHOCTON, O., March 19.—The Morgan Run Coal company threw a bomb into mining circles by importing twenty-five Italians to work in their mines. They had some trouble with the union, but settled it and then closed for some repairs. The miners have persuaded some of the Italians to return to Cleveland.

WRECK OF THE UTOPIA.

NEARLY SIX HUNDRED LIVES LOST IN THE AWFUL STORM.

A Terrible Scene Witnessed by the Unfortunates, Most of Whom Were Italians—Husbands and Wives Sank While Grasping Each Other—Shrieks of the Passengers and Crew.

GIBRALTAR, March 19.—The official statement in regard to the disaster to the Utopia is as follows: Number of persons aboard leaving Naples, 880. Number saved, 311. Number missing, probably all drowned, 569. Such is the awful record of lives sacrificed by yesterday's collision of the Anchor line steamer Utopia, bound for New York, with the British iron-clad Anson, near Gibraltar. The passengers on board the Utopia were principally Italian emigrants. Of course accounts differ as to the cause of the disaster, one of which attributes it to the fact that the British war ship was drifting before the gale, and in doing so she rammed the Utopia abaft the funnel. After the ramming the Anson reversed her engines, which caused her to back away from the Utopia, which vessel was practically impaled on the spur of the Anson's ram, and the Utopia sank almost immediately afterward. The officers and crew of the Anson declare that the Utopia fouled the ram of the Anson and that no blame can attach to their ship.

Scene After the Disaster.

The scene after the collision has probably never before been witnessed in the history of maritime disasters. On one side was the sinking passenger steamship, crowded with nearly 900 emigrants, who filled the air with wild appeals for help and shrieks of terror as they saw death awaiting them in the dark, angry waters of the bay of Gibraltar. Hundreds of beings fought their way desperately and savagely regardless of sex or age, towards the boats. Men, women and children tumbled and climbed over each other in that fight for a chance of escape from drowning. One poor woman, who was rescued by the Anson blue jackets, went raving mad when she was convinced that her children were drowned. There were similarly distressing incidents by the score, the most awful of all occurring when the Utopia, with a final desperate lurch, sank with her human freight clinging about her.

Frantic Efforts of Victims.

Many who had sprang into the sea as they saw the steamship could not float much longer were drawn in the whirlpool caused by the Utopia's disappearance. Some came to the surface for a few moments before sinking finally into their watery tomb. Others were able to cling to pieces of the wreckage, floating spars, oars, gradins, hatchways, boats, lifeboats, etc., and thus kept themselves above water until rescued by the warship's boats, but the weaker succumbed more readily. Shrieking, praying women sank to rise no more, with their terrified offspring clasped to their breasts. Children clung to their parents so desperately as, in several cases, to cause the death of those who might have escaped. Husbands and wives sank while grasping each other in frantic efforts to keep each other afloat, and a good swimmer went down with some horrified, fear-maddened person clinging to him with the tenacity of desperation of death. The officers and crews of the different war vessels did everything in their power to save the lives of the unfortunate people on board the war ships or were housed in the different government buildings.

KEPT HER WORD

By Marrying an Unsuspecting Miner Before the Next Sun-Up.

BRAZIL, IND., March 19.—Last Saturday evening Mrs. Lizzie Hams, of Perth, six miles from this city, made a bet of two kegs of beer with some miners that she would marry James Blackwood before morning. The bet was taken and she walked to this city and purchased a license, then walked home, called at Mr. Blackwood's house and marched him to a justice of the peace of the place and was married. Blackwood works in the mine, and was not aware of the woman's intentions until she purchased the license. The bet was paid.

A Kansas Savings Bank Fails.

TOPEKA, KAN., March 19.—The United States Savings bank, of this city, closed its doors yesterday and made an assignment to Samuel T. House, president of the Kansas National bank. The failure of the bank was caused by the failure a few weeks ago of John D. Knox, father of W. C. Knox, president of the bank. The eastern creditors of the bank connected the father and son with the savings bank and withdrew their support. In fact, the father was in no way connected with the bank. The liabilities and assets cannot be learned. The assets are large and will pay in full all liabilities. The capital stock of the bank was $261,000.

Trying to Force Up the Price of Cut Nails.

WHEELING, W. VA., March 19.—Representatives of the cut nail mills of the Wheeling district held a meeting here yesterday for the purpose of forming a combination to put up the price. Nothing definite was agreed on, and it is feared that the coming season will run at the same prices. The district includes Columbus, Ironton and other Ohio towns, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky and West Virginia.

THE WORLD OF WANTS

This column is the best read department in THE INDEPENDENT. The publishers are able to guarantee a careful reading of every advertisement inserted. Its usefulness has been particularly well proven in cases of articles lost and found. Hundreds of dollars worth of missing property has, through this medium, been restored to its owners. Copy must be left not later than 10 a. m to insure insertion the same day. An even charge of 25 cents is made for six publications, advertisement not to exceed four lines.

FOUND.

DOG—Black and tan hound came to my place. Owner can have it by calling and paying charges. John Keefer, West Brookfield. 18-6t

FOR RENT.

HOUSE—A nine roomed house on East North street opposite the High School building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McClymonds. 26-t

HOUSE—A seven room house on North Prospect street. Call on Jos. Coleman, Jewelry store, No. 5 South Erie street. 8-6t

HOUSE—At 98 East Cherry street, 6 rooms and basement. Apply to Henry Snyder at Snyder's shoe store. 10

HOUSE—Containing 7 rooms, rent $9, or can be divided for two families at $5 each. Good water on premises. Call at premises, No. 437 South Erie street. 14-tf

HOUSE—At 69 Green street, 5 rooms, coal house, cistern all complete. Apply at 57 Duncan street. 14

HOUSE—3 roomed house on North Hill Street cistern and well on premises. Inquire at the office of Miss Helen Ryder, South Erie St. 14-6t

HOUSE—Possession April 1st. No. 118 East Main street. Call at premises or 55 E. Main street. 18-6t

ROOMS—Two upper rooms on the second floor of the Beatty block over No. 2 East Main St. Enquire of H. Beatty, or W. H. McMillan. 29-tf

PLEASE mention The Independent in replying to advertisements under this head.

WANTED

BOARD AND ROOM—By gentleman and wife. Address "D" care Independent Company. State price and location. 18-6t

GIRL—A middle aged girl for chamber work. Apply at Waverly Hotel. 12-6t

MAN—A man understanding the grocery business to correspond concerning a good business opportunity. An established business that a grocer could run as a branch. Address Wm. L. Reinoehl, Sippo P. O., Ohio. 12-6t

MAN—Competent man to work in livery stable. A washer preferred. P. Gribble, proprietor, City Livery. 18-6t

MAN—April 1st, to furnish 800 farmers, with veterinary remedies and book. A middle aged man competent to deliver and collect, that can furnish horse and buggy, can secure the contract. Call on Geo. H. Gove, V. S. 61 Plum street, Massillon, Ohio. 14-

BUSINESS MAN—The United States Life Ins Co., of New York, organized in 1850, desires to secure the services of a first-class business man to look after their interests at Massillon. Previous experience not necessary. Must be honest, industrious, well acquainted and have good standing. Address E. W. Christy, Manager, 106 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, O. 12-tf

SEWING—My friends and old customers to know that I am ready to do all kind of family sewing. All work promptly and neatly done. Mrs F. H. Minich Cedar st. 13-6t

SECRETARIES and ORGANIZERS—For an assessment order paying $100 in 6 months at an estimated cost of $14. Reputable men and women can secure liberal compensation. Address H. D. Reed, American House, Cleveland. 14

For Sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A new house of 5 rooms, elegantly finished interior. Well located on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-tf

FOR SALE.

CARPET Beater and Feather Renovator. Call or address, Jacob Wagoner, 124 East Oak St. 13-6

HOUSE A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premises. 29-tf

HOUSE—A seven roomed house and bath room also a good stable and other necessary out buildings, cisterns, and fruit trees; situated at the corner of Duncan and Green streets. Lot 60x185 feet. Inquire on the premises. f5—t

HOUSE—A six room house, No. 204 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building. Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap. 24-tf

HOUSE AND LOT—Corner Hill and Chestnut street; seven rooms and summer kitchen. Lot 80x115; excellent well of water, cistern and city water. Inquire on the premises, No. 93 N. Hill street. 12-tf

HOUSE—At moderate priced, on easy terms, a nine roomed house on east North street, opposite the High school building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McClymonds. 26-tf

HOUSE AND LOT—With good barn, on West Main street. Inquire of Henry Walters, No. 165, West Main Stieet. 27-6t

HOUSE AND LOT—A four room house No. 46 Cliff street, in good repair. Any one wishing to purchase should call a premises. Edwin Reese. 9-tf

JERSEY COWS—Two first-class Jersey cows. Apply to P. G. Albright Administrator. 16

LOTS.—Two fine lots on West Tremont street, close to school house. Plenty of fruit and shade trees, and flag walks laid. Inquire of S. Burd, 74 Jarvis Avenue. 17-6t

MODERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice. Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Paul. 19-6t

PIANO—A good square piano. Will sell cheap as I expect to leave town. Mrs. J. F. Paul, No. 22 Wellman street. 30-tf

SAND—For plastering purposes, best in the city, and prices the lowest. Inquire at Reevy store of M. E. Biddle, corner Mill and Tremont streets. 18

ONE HORSE, 1 delivery wagon, 1 large refrigerator, 1 elevator, 1 self measuring pump and tank. Call at Diehenn's grocery, No. 24 E. Main street.

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

MR. VAUX AND HIS REVERENCE FOR "OLD HICKORY."

Twenty-five Cigars a Day—General Banks and His Farewell to Washington—Senator Sawyer's $16,000 for Charity and His Indoor Exercise.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Two picturesque old men who left public life at the end of the last congress, probably never to return to it, were General Banks, of Massachusetts, and Mr. Vaux, of Philadelphia. Not for many years have two more notable old men been seen in congress together. Both were great pedestrians, fond of rambling about the city at all hours. I have come across them, first one and then the other, early in the morning and late at night. Each walked alone, being solitary in his habits. They were not companions; in fact neither of them had any chums, though both were liked and respected by all their associates.

Not long after sunrise one morning I was passing through Lafayette park, which is the open square in front of the White House, soon to contain the French monument to General Lafayette, as well as the famous equestrian statue of General Andrew Jackson, when in front of the big bronze horse a queer figure caught my eye? It was old Mr. Vaux, his ancient and battered hat in one hand, a smoking cigar in the other, his ample gray locks floating in the wind, and bowing solemnly and respectfully toward the metal Jackson towering above him. I did not understand his pantomime, and had forgotten it till one day in conversation with a group of congressmen Mr. Vaux's name was mentioned, and I narrated the incident at the Jackson statue.

"That is nothing new to me," said Representative Mansur, of Missouri. "Mr. Vaux and I are very good friends, and he tells me that since he has been in Washington he has not missed one morning, rain or shine, snow or sleet, walking from his hotel to the park before breakfast, pausing before the Jackson statue and lifting his hat and solemnly bowing to "Old Hickory." You have probably noticed that the old gentleman smokes a great deal. He is the greatest smoker I ever knew, and the fact that he has lived to such a ripe old age while filling his skin every day with the poison of nicotine is a poser which the anti-tobacconist will find it difficult to meet. Mr. Vaux tells me that he smokes three cigars before breakfast, five or six between breakfast and luncheon, seven or eight before dinner and from five to ten before going to bed. His average consumption is twenty-five cigars a day, and strong, imported cigars they are too. It is a wonder to me that he is alive, yet he has been smoking like that for many years, and is a pretty lively old man still."

It was almost pathetic during the last few days of congress to see old General Banks making the rounds of the Capitol. He knew he was to retire, never to return, at noon of March 4, and he wanted to say goodby to all his friends and take a parting look at all the old familiar scenes, many of which he had first become acquainted with a lifetime ago. So he went into many of the offices and committee rooms where his friends used to be, and bade them a tender farewell.

In many cases the desks at which the old general's friends used to work are now occupied by men who are strangers to him, but this did not seem to make any difference with the veteran publicist. His memory for localities, always keen in a pedestrian, is much stronger than his memory for faces and names, and the result was that General Banks wrung the hands of men whom he had never seen before. Often in walking through the main corridors of the Capitol he would fancy persons were speaking to him, and stop and shake them warmly by the hand, and say goodby and "God bless you." Some of the astonished strangers looked at the white haired general as if they thought him insane not knowing his weakness in identification of faces casually met, and his warm hearted desire to say farewell to every one he had known.

Another interesting old man who will retire from public life two years hence is Senator Sawyer. He is the most popular man in the senate, and the one to whom all subscription papers for charitable purposes are first taken. The old senator has a business man's habit of keeping careful account of his receipts and expenditures. In his little memorandum book is jotted down every item of income or outgo, even to the cost of his luncheons, cigars and newspapers. In running over these a few weeks ago, for the purpose of balancing his accounts for the year 1890, Senator Sawyer discovered a discrepancy of something like $16,000. But he was not alarmed.

"I know just what that is," he said; "one class of expenditures of which I keep no account in my book is charity. That is not business, and therefore I do not treat it in a business way. It simply goes, and there is no use of having a record of it, as it is neither profit nor loss. At the end of the year I figure up, and the difference between what I have on hand and what I ought to have is what I have given away. Bless my soul! I fear I don't give half enough."

It is easy to imagine that a kindly, good humored, affectionate old man who gives away $16,000 a year, and is afraid he ought to give more, does not lack for popularity among his associates. It is this same old man who can put more bills through the senate than any other member of the body. His record on private bills, pension bills, etc.—worthy cases all, you may be sure—has never been equaled. No one objects to Sawyer's bills, no one willingly puts any obstacles in his way; every one is willing to help him and "pull for" the things in which he is interested. So it happens that the saying about the senate chamber is, "Oh, take it to Senator Sawyer. If it is a good thing he'll take hold of it, and if he can't put it through there's no use of any one else trying."

Senator Sawyer is even more interesting in his home, a beautiful and extensive chateau on Connecticut avenue, than he is in the senate chamber. Just now, as the newspapers have already informed us, he is very proud because of his success in reducing his weight something like eighty pounds in six months. It is as good as a circus to see the senator in the library of his house. It is a large apartment, probably forty feet long, and the floor is covered with the richest of oriental rugs. Across this floor and back the senator has a regular pathway on which he takes his daily exercise. He doesn't know how many laps there are to the mile, nor care, for his race is not against time, but flesh. He walks at a rapid pace, however, steaming and panting, to and fro, puffing and blowing, and once in a while stopping to weigh himself on the platform scales which he keeps in his library for that purpose. Nothing pleases the old senator better than to have company in his indoor pedestrian feats. His friends, eager to please him, take him by the hand and stride backward and forward with him till the senator is quite out of breath from running and laughing.

Next to Sawyer, I suppose Mr. Jones, of Nevada, is the most popular man in the senate. He is a wit, a story teller, a bon vivant, a "good fellow." He is a man who believes, as Senator Wolcott said in his speech on the copyright bill, in "high living and good thinking." Jones has small, twinkling eyes and a skin as pink and soft as a school girl's. It is a skin which makes one think of hogsheads of good wine and a succession of good dinners. Yet Senator Jones is almost a teetotaler. "I have no scruples against drinking," he says, "but I believe it is irrational. It interferes with one's capacity for enjoyment of better things. If I permitted myself to drink of common wine or liquors every day I could not appreciate the best product of the vine on the rare occasions when I get a chance at it. I do not often drink. When I do drink I want only a little, very nice, served in the right way and at the right time."

The senator is an authority on all matters gastronomic, and probably could, in an off hand way, without stopping to think much or consulting a caterer, order the "swellest" dinner ever seen in Washington. Yet, in pursuance of his principle of living rationally, his daily food is very simple. A few days before congress adjourned his chum, Senator Farwell, said to him: "Jones, I'll go down to the restaurant and pay for the dinner if you will order it. Now, this is a goodby dinner, and I want you to make it something unusually nice."

Senator Jones knew that Farwell wouldn't have cared if the bill had been twenty or thirty dollars, but this is the dinner which the famous epicure ordered: Blue points, clam chowder, lettuce salad, breast of chicken and peas, a pot of tea. The check for this dinner for the two millionaire senators, which Jones pronounced "wholly rational," was $2.10.

WALTER WELLMAN.

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

The Woman's Suffrage Amendment Informally Passed—Other Matters Disposed of in Both House and Senate.

COLUMBUS, March 19.—The woman's suffrage amendment, which was on the calendar of the house was informally passed and will not be called until the more pressing matters are disposed of. The house then took up Laylin's bill providing for the contest of elections of state and judicial officers in the courts. The discussion took up the entire morning hours. The taxation amendment resolution was postponed in the senate.

The senate then passed the bill by Senator Nichols, authorizing sheriffs to release mortgages in partition cases.

Senator Kerr introduced, by request, a bill providing a penalty of $1,000 fine and imprisonment of three years in the penitentiary for tapping telegraph or telephone wires for the purpose of taking communications therefrom.

Senator Shaw introduced a bill appropriating $2,000 to erect monuments to the soldiers of the war of 1812 buried at Forts Amanda and Barbee, Auglaise county.

The house passed Mr. Laylin's bill providing for the contest of elections of state and judicial officers. The bill was passed by a vote of 76 to 11.

After amending the Wallace bill to get $15,000 from the general government for the benefit of the Ohio state university, so as to provide an agricultural department at Wilberforce university, near Xenia, the senate passed a bill to give half of the fund to the institution for colored people. It was a victory for Wilberforce over the state university.

There was a lively time at the meeting of the house committee on temperance at noon. The members were considering Mr. Phillips' bill providing against evils resulting from the sale of intoxicating liquors. This measure is one of the severest propositions tending to regulate the liquor traffic. It deems any place where liquor is sold to minors, confirmed drunkards or on Sunday as a public nuisance and makes it lawful for any person to file a petition in the courts asking for the abatement of such nuisance. The clerk shall issue his summons against the party and a trial must be had in twenty days, and the court shall order a writ to close the same. Mr. Christy, of Clermont, the other Democratic member, took issue with his colleagues, finally winding up with the declaration that he would recommend the passage of the bill. This he did and the Republican members signed it with him. It will be reported favorably.

The California Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., March 19.—Both houses of the legislature yesterday appointed a committee to investigate the alleged charges of bribery in connection with the pending senatorial contest.

A Woman's Fatal Mishap.

WEST LIBERTY, O., March 19.—Mrs. O. C. Woods, wife of a farmer near town, while sitting up watching a sick child, was taken with a fainting spell and fell into an open fire-place. She was terribly burned. One ear was burned off, and her injuries may result fatally.

THE CINCINNATI CHARTER FIGHT.

A Formal Vote Taken on the Bill at a Democratic Caucus.

COLUMBUS, O., March 19.—At the Democratic caucus of the house last night the fate of the Cincinnati charter bill was decided. Mr. Nolan moved that the section creating the board of administration be stricken out, so as to permit continuation in power of the board of public improvements. This was lost by a tie vote, 16 voting for it and 16 against it. Mr. Eggerman moved that a formal vote be taken on the proposition to pass the bill as it now stands. This was carried by a vote of 16 to 15. Opponents of the bill admit their defeat, and it is expected the house will pass the bill without delay on Thursday. The caucus also decided to hold three night sessions a week until adjournment.

MEETING OF COLORED EDITORS.

Talk of Forming an Afro-American News Bureau to Interest the Race.

CINCINNATI, O., March 19.—There were a number of new faces at yesterday's meeting of the colored editors, men who had come in since the opening of the convention. The committee to whom was referred the matter of syndicating the news for the benefit of the colored press reported a plan of forming an Afro-American news bereau which will not antagonize the United Press or any other organization, but simply supplement their news by a more complete account of events that may be of interest to the race. The election of officers took place. Papers were read by John C. Daucy, Chris J. Perry, J. Gordon Streets. An address by Rev. William M. Brown, of Richmond, on the subject of "Finance" was also made.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

Burglars cracked the safe in the Donnelsville (Ohio) postoffice, securing $60 in money and some drafts.

Louis Rothermond, of Martins Ferry, who sued the Union Bridge company for $2,000 damages, was awarded $50.

At Wapakoneta application has been made for the appointment of a guardman for John Kerr, a miser. He is a farmer who can neither read nor write, and is worth $150,000.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50 cents at Z. T. Baltzly's drug store. 6

So many have been cured of rheumatism by Hood's Sarsaparilla that we urge all who suffer from this disease to try this medicine.

Wolff's ACME Blacking

IS WATERPROOF.
A HANDSOME POLISH.
A LEATHER PRESERVER.
NO BRUSHING REQUIRED.

Shoes can be washed daily.

Used by men, women and children.

Quite a surprise to you? Well, I heard so much of PIK-RON (TRADE MARK) A PAINT THAT ONE CAN SEE THROUGH. TRY IT. I concluded to paint this floor with it. Aint it a big improvement?

Sold Everywhere.
WOLFF & RANDOLPH, Philadelphia.

PIK-RON will ornament your windows as well as your floor. Try it on glass, china, metal or any article you want to paint.

CHAMBERLAIN'S
Eye and Skin Ointment.

A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed 25 and 50 cent boxes for sale by

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The First National Bank.

MASSILLON, OHIO.

S. HUNT, President,
GEO. HARSH, Vice President.
C. STEESE, Cashier.
J. M. SCHUCKERS, Asst. Cashier

Capital Stock and Surplus $250,000.

Interest Bearing Certificates Issued

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STREET COMMISSIONER.

The name of Thomas Volkmor is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election.

The name of Wm. Vogt is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

CITY TREASURER.

The name of Paul Kirchhofer is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the direction of the Democratic primary election.

The name of Louis List is announced as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

CANTON, O., March 10, 1891.

Sealed bids, by the perch, will be received by the commissioners of Stark County, Ohio, at their office, at 12 o'clock noon, April 7th, 1891, for two stone abutments for a bridge across the west branch of the Nimishillen creek on the Housel road. Plans and specifications will be on file in the auditor's office, Canton, Ohio, on and after April 1st, 1891, each bidder to enclose with his bid a bond in the sum of $500.00, with two resident sureties to the satisfaction of the commissioners, that he or they will enter into contract if awarded.

Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

L. A. LOICHOT, Auditor.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Light house.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the government lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, 4 years old. Last April she was taken down with measles, followed with a dreadful cough and turning into a fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain; she grew worse rapidly until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold. yet you may get a free trial bottle at Z. T. Baltzly's Drug store.

Here it is, and it fills the bill much better than anything we could say: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to write you in regard to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. During the past winter I have sold more of it than any other kind, and have yet to find any one but what was benefitted by taking it. I have never had any medicine in my store that gave such universal satisfaction." J. M. Roney, druggist, Geuda Springs, Kan. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

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The following item has been going the rounds of the press, and as our druggist, Morganthaler & Heister, handle the goods, it may interest our readers:

Having had occasion to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it gives me pleasure to state that I found it to be the best medicine for a cough I ever used; in fact, it cured me of a cough that had baffled several other cough medicines.—N. R. Burnett, Atalissa Iowa.

A Blessing to Humanity.

This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both immediate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK,
MASSILLON, OHIO, March 2, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that D. F. Henry, William H. Graham and J. W. McClymonds, have on this th 2nd day of March, 1891, made application to the Council of Massillon, Ohio, for permission to construct and operate a street railroad in the following streets, viz:

Beginning at the corporation line on Main street, thence west to corporation line of same street. Beginning at the corporation line on Akron street, thence south to Cherry street, thence west on Cherry to Mill street, south on Mill street to Main street, thence from Main on Erie street to the south corporation line.

The number of tracks on each street to be one except where double tracks are specified. Said grant to be for twenty-five (25) years

H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

A Resolution

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon at next election for the purpose of paving and improving streets.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday of April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) and issue bonds therefor, to bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually and payable within ten years in accordance with the act of the General Assembly of Ohio passed February 26th, 1891, for the purpose of paving and improving streets

SEC. 2. Be it further resolved that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk for ten days previous to the election, by publication in two newspapers published and of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include the same in his annual proclamation for said election.

SEC 3. Be it further resolved that the tickets of said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Issuing of bonds for paving and improving streets yes—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.
Attest JACOB R. SCHLAGEL,
President of the City Council of Massillon, Ohio.
H. W. LOEFFLER,
City Clerk.

A Resolution

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the city of Massillon in the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of general improvement and the best interest of the city, at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal election to be held on the first Monday of April, 1891, in the city of Massillon, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000,) and issue bonds of said city therefor, to bear interest not exceeding the rate of six per cent, payable semi-annually, and payable in not less than two nor more than twenty years, in semi-annual series as this council shall hereafter determine, in accordance with an act of the General Assembly of Ohio passed February 26, 1891, for the purpose of general improvement and the best interest of said city.

SEC. 2 Be it further resolved, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk of this city for ten days previous to the election, by publication in two newspapers of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include a concise statement thereof in his annual proclamation for said election.

SEC. 3. Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Authority to issue bonds—yes," "Authority to issue bonds—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.
Attest: J. R. SCHLAGEL,
President of the City Council.
H. W. LOEFFLER,
Clerk.

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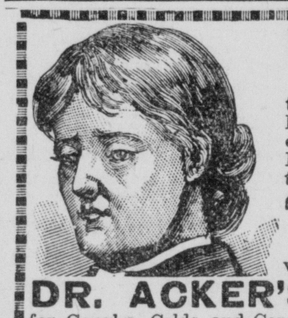

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A Resolution.

To submit the question of issuing bonds of the City of Massillon for the purchasing of grounds and the erection of public buildings thereon, in the sum of $35,000 00 to the electors at the next general election.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Massillon, Ohio, that at the general municipal elections to be held on the first Monday in April, 1891, in said city, there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this city, the question whether this council shall have authority to borrow the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000) and issue bonds therefore to bear interest not exceeding 6 per cent per annum payable semi-annually, and payable in semi-annual series in twenty years from date of issue, in accordance with an act of the general assembly of Ohio, passed February 27th, 1891, for the purposes of purchasing grounds and the erection of public buildings.

Section 2. Resolved further, that notice thereof shall be given by the clerk for ten days previous to said election, by publication in two newspapers published in and of general circulation in this city, and the mayor shall also include the same in his annual proclamation for said election.

Section 3 Be it further resolved, that the tickets at said election shall have written or printed thereon the words: "Issue of bonds for public buildings yes—no."

Passed March 10, 1891.
Attest JACOB SCHLAGEL,
President of the City Council of Massillon, Ohio.
H. W. LOEFFLER,
City Clerk.

ANNOUNCEMENT
TO THE PUBLIC.

The undersigned having purchased the store, fixtures and good will of the late firm of Cupples & Fribley, Druggists, at No. 7 West Main street, Massillon, respectfully announce that in the future the business will be carried on under the personal management of

Dr. F. E. Seaman,
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